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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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Serial no.

For

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Planetenradsätzen

Docket

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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION The Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

By way of preliminary amendment, please amend the above identified application as set forth below.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 2-39 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter therein.

REMARKS

In the event that there are any fee deficiencies or additional fees are payable, please charge the same or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account (Account No. 04-0213).

Respectfully submitted,

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